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EUROPE IS ON VERGE OF NEW WAR

Situation Grows Tense as Fighting Continues—France and England in Conference Brief Items Up to Date—Verdict Reached in Desertion Case—Arms for Cantu Confiscated.

Washington has definitely announced a refusal to participate "at present" in taking sides in the difference between France and Great Britain over the Russo-Polish situation.

Despatches from London state that Lloyd George considers the official recognition of the Wrangel anti-Bolshivek government by Premier Millerand as a direct seccession from the policy definitely agreed between them at the Hythe conference.

Millerand in Paris directly charges that Lloyd George's message, asking Poland to accept the Bolshevik peace terms, was a similar secession from the Hythe policy.

Dipomatic circles consider Millerand's move as a shrewd coup to force Lloyd George into an alignment with France and the United States against Bolshevik Russia.

The Wrangel resolution was to have been used as a diplomatic trump card to force the imposition of mild peace terms upon the Poles at the Minsk conferenct.

Earl Cuzon received a note from France which he referred to Lloyd George and immediately it was announced the premier would meet Millerand at Bologne Sunday.

The Bolshevik army has launched its last drive on Warsaw. Polish women have taken up arms and organized a battalion of death.

Leon Trtozky announced, upon his arrival at the front, that within a year the whole world would become Bolshevik.

SITUATION IN BRIEF

A counter offensive with bayonets has been launched by the Polish army near Pultusk in an effort to throw back the invading soviet troops.

The Polish armistice and peace delegates have left Warsaw for the front, where they expect to confer with delegates from the soviet government.

French recognition of the de facto situation into something akin to chaos. A crisis in Anglo-French relations has arisen.

According to German news sources, lawa, a city on the Warsaw Danzig railway line, has been captured by the Bolshevist forces. Soviet cavalry is reported within rifle shot of Warsaw.

Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevist minister of war, has arrived at

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THOUGHTS AU GRATIN

We all talk fire prevention after the fire.

Make an example of the wicked before slamming the righteous.

Thou shalt not steal—leave that to the politicians.

Unwritten laws? Sure! We married men know that.

The freedom of the press seems to be going from bad to Hearst.

Eve gave us the apple and we have had to work like blazes ever since.

A poor excuse is not better than none.

So many hands reach for the dollar it is hard getting it in bank.

Will women do the courting now, and hold us on their laps?

If speed laws were enforced we'd all be in jail.

An elephant (g.o.p. or otherwise) doesn't want a bite, but the whole apple.

A patched-up quarrel always shows the patches.

NEW ALIEN LAND LAW ON THE BALLOT

Japanese, Chinese and other aliens ineligible to citizenship in America will be prevented from owning or leasing agricultural lands in California if the initiative measure to be placed on the November ballot is adopted by the people.

Under the present anti-alien land law aliens ineligible to citizenship are permitted to lease lands for a period of three years, but the revised law will prohibit them from leasing land at all.

Ownership of agricultural lands is denied such aliens under the present law, but the Japanese have been getting around this provision of the law by subterfuge.

One of the favorite means of evading the law is through corporations which are "Americanized" by placing the majority of stock in the name of Japanese infants and children born in this country and white persons.

OPEN SHOP FIGHT

Trouble is on betwen the manufacturers of brick all over this county and their workmen, over the question of "open shop," which the brickmakers seek to observe. One of the results so far is that nobody can buy any brick at any price, as the makers have taken them off the market. This works a hardship all around, for a half-finished brick building will have to remain in such a condition until the brickyard men and their employes come to some understanding.

About half the time the S. P. train is late that brings the Martinez papers to this city at 7:30 in the evening, and so the papers are not available until next day.

OAKLAND TO PREPARE FOR TRADE

C. of C. Is of Opinion That Harbor Facilities Are Not Adequate—Alameda Housewives to Solve H. C. L. Problem — First Electric Vessel To Be Launched on Coast—Other Bay News.

Oakland's dock facilities shortly are to be taxed to their utmost and additional facilities must be provided to accommodate shipping lines demanding berthing space. These are the conclusions reached by the harbor development committee of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce following an investigation of waterfront conditions.

It was announced today at the offices of the Chamber of Commerce that a number of steamship lines either have applied for docking privileges or are looking over the field with a view to such applications. This is declared to be the result of ships to the Pacific for the Oriental trade and the consequent crowding of docks on the San Francisco side.

ALAMEDA WIVES TO SERVE 25c LUNCHES

ALAMEDA, Aug. 12.—Another blow at the high cost of living will be dealt by the Alameda Housewives League when that active organization will give a luncheon next Tuesday, serving it for 25 cents. A luncheon of a similar type was given recently and was a financial success. Plans for the event were completed at a meeting of the leapue this afternoon.

ELECTRIC TANKER TO FLOAT SATURDAY

Marking the construction of the first electrically driven vessel build on private contract on the Pacific Coast, the Union Construction Company Saturday noon will launch the 2200-ton tanker "Charlie Watson" for the Standard Oil Company.

This is the first tanker which the Standard Oil has equipped with the electrical machinery and its successful completion is said to presage the substitution of electric for the steam drives in all their big fleet.

Diesel engines turn the dynamos of the new ship.

Mrs. Charles Watson will be the sponsor and will swing the champagne bottle against the bow as the vessel starts down the ways.

STEAMERS CRASH IN FOG OUTSIDE GATE

A serious maritime tragedy at the portals of the Golden Gate was narrowly averted when the giant British tramp steamer Eurydamas crashed into the Matson transpacific liner Manoa. A heavy fog blanketed both vessels at the time of the crash. The Manoa was pulling in from the Islands. Quick action on the part of Captain H. Diggs resulted in the vessel being turned to starboard and prevented a head-on crash.

The Manoa had a great gash cut in her side, the main passenger railing was destroyed and the

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CONTRA COSTA MEN CONTRIBUTE TO S. F. BANDITS

Two bold, bad men stopped Henry Costa and Bill Walker, two employees of the Columbia Steel Company of this city, at Twelfth and Mission streets, San Francisco, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning and asked for a ride in the auto being driven by Costa.

They were accommodated and a few moments later Costa and Walker were relieved of their spare cash, the highwaymen, for such they proved to be, getting $40 from the former and $25 from the latter.

This was Walker's first visit to San Francisco, he having lately came from the East to take a position at the steel works.

The car in which Costa and and Walker were riding belonged to the former's father. —Pittsburg Dispatch.

WORK ON CHANNEL WORTH MANY MILLIONS

The completion of the Suisun Bay enterprise, which was so steadfastly worked for and encouraged by wide-awake industrial leaders and public spirited men is a source of much joy and interest to the people of Martinez, Pittsburg, Bay Point, Antioch, and in fact, the whole State of California.

The project in detail provides a channel from 350 to 500 feet wide for the entire distance.

The deepening and widening of Suisun Bay was, the most important navigation project in the State, based on the volume and value of traffic interested. Official figures show that the grand total of freight annually using Suisun Bay and the Sacramento and San Jonquin rivers was approximately 5,150,000 tons, of a value in excess of $164,000,000, all of which passed through this channel.

The deepening and widening of Suisun Bay has removed all the navigation difficulties by providing a single deep channel instead of the several narrow, irregular, uncertain channels, connecting the deeper waters of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers above with the deep San Pablo Bay, being a tremendous factor in uncorking the mouths of the rivers.—Byron Times.

Sergeant Wright Buried Yesterday

Funeral services for the late Police Sergeant Sam Wright were conducted yesterday morning from the Wilson and Donnelly chapel by the Eagles lodge, of which the deceased was a member. The funeral was attended by a large number of friends of the deceased, and the following members of the police department acted as honorary pallbearers: Chief of Police W. H. Wood, Oliver Wylie, Dan Cox, Harry Livingston, Louis Jones, Charles Mahnke, William McCandless and E. H. Axtell.

The body was taken to the California Crematory at Oakland for cremation.

BIG AIRSHIP SMASHES AT MARTINEZ

Falls 100 Feet to Ground With Two Men, Both of Whom Escape — 5,000 Expected to Attend Concord Rodeo—Ferry Lines Show Big Gains—Other Interesting News of Contra Costa.

Clarence Brown, of Yakima, Wash., and Edward Dietz of Martinez, miraculously escaped death at Martinez yesterday morning when a Curtiss plane piloted by Brown and owned by Dietz and T. P. Hall, crashed to the ground from a height of 100 feet in the Potter tract and was totally wrecked. neither man was hurt. They extricated themselves from the wrsckage and walked away. The accident occurred at 9:30 o'clock when the men attempted to take off on a trip to Yreka where they were to engage in driving ducks from rice fields.

According to witnesses the air at the landing field was apparently light and the plane did not take the air rapidly. In an effort to avoid hitting telephone wires, it is said that Brown swerved the plane sharply. It dropped suddenly to the earth, striking on its left wing. Both wings, the fuselage and propeller were reduced to splinters.

MONSTER BIG RODEO

CONCORD, Aug. 12—Preparations were completed here today for the second annual rodeo to be staged Saturday and Sunday by the Concord Stockmen's Association. Chas. Dunn, secretary, announced today that seventy-five cowboys and girls have been signed to ride. A dozen cowgirls from Manteca will participate.

Concord will be in gala attire for the two days' celebration and every business house in the city will be closed. Five thousand persons are expected to attend the rodeo.

Bronco riding, bull dogging, relay races and many other cowboy sports are on the program.

FERRY LINES RUSHED

With two exceptions ferry lines in Contra Costa county in the fiscal year ending July 1, 1920, showed big gains in the number of passengers transported, according to figures just issued by John K. Bulger, supervising inspector of steam vessels, which disclose that 50,000,000 people use ferries in the bay districts annually.

The route which showed the heaviest loss in the number of passengers was the Southern Pacific's Vallejo and Vallejo Junction system which checked through 1,397,596 passengers in 1919 and 1,169,070 in 1920. The Port Costa-Benicia route of the Southern Pacific carried 25,038 in 1919 and but 14,507 in 1920.

Comparative figures for other Contra Costa lines follow: Richmond and San Rafael Ferry—1919, 141,136; 1920, 258,686; Rodeo fery carried 223,771 in 1919 and 265,847 in 1920. The Six Minute Ferry over Carquinez Straits began operations last February and has carried 130,969.

LAFF AND GROW PHAT

He: My ancestors came over in the Maybower.

She: It's lucky they did; the immigration laws are a little stricter now.

A THINKING PART

Magistrate (to witness): I understand that you overheard the quarrel between the defendant and his wife?

Witness: Yes, sor.

Magistrate: Tell the Court, if you can, what he seemed to be doing.

Witness: He semed to be doin' the listenin'.

TAKING NO CHANCES

A big darkey was being registered.

"Ah can't go to wah," he answered in re exemption, "foh they ain't nobody to look afteh ma wife."

A dapper little undersized colored brother stepped briskly up and inquired, "What kind of a lookin' lady is yoh wife?"

CORONER'S JURY SAYS WRIGHT SUICIDE

At the coroner's inquest held last night no new details of the death of Sergeant Sam Wright were brought out. Several witnesses were examined by Coroner Donnelly, and questioned by members of the jury to establish if possible any element of doub to the suicide theory, but the possibility of the shooting having been an accident was overshadowed by the facts as deduced from the testimony.

These facts are: that the sergeant was shot while standing, that there were no powder marks on his face, and that he was at times despondent over his failing eyesight.

There seemed to be no question as to the possibility of a murder, and this detail at no time entered into the proceedings.

The jury, consisting of N. C. Anderson, R. E. Coffey, C. E. Anderson, M. MsChristian, J. Bareilles and J. Hirth, were out over half an hour. Their verdict was: "Gunshot wound in head from bullet from his own gun. Circumstances unknown. We are unable to fix the responsibility."

Sad news of the death of Thomas Dougal, father of R. B. Dougal and Mrs. R. G. Armstead of this city, in San Francisco, was received yesterday.

Night classes at the Richmond High School will be resumed on September 1.

CAMPAIGN FOR HARBOR IS STARTED

At a Meeting Yesterday of C. of C. Committees Were Appointed to Carry on a Campaign of Education That Is Hoped Will Carry Harbor and Wharf Measures to Victory.

That the Harbor Bonds will carry at the special election to be held on Tuesday, September 28, is no longer a debatable question. That the measure calling for $150,000 for the erection of additional wharf space will carry, is also a foregone conclusion.

But there is always that element of doubt which i sbound to annoy any measure that tends for public good, and it is this doubt which it is the intention of all local civic bodies to fight, and a campaign of education will start at once and grow to such proportions that a two-thirds majority will be an absolute certainty.

At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday a committee was appointed, to be known as the campaign committee, and which will act in conjunction with a similar committee from the Industrial Commission to carry on this educational campaign.

The committees as appointed yesterday are as follows: C. C. Kratzer, J. F. Galvin, Dan W. Riordan, C. E. Clark and O. R. Ludewix. This body will be strengthened by as follows: Chas. G. Bacon, Rev. members of the board of directors A. M. Bahnsen, F. E. Beefl, W. G. W. G. Casey, C. E. Clark, C. S. Downing, Louis Garfinkle, W. A. Kreamer, E. H. Kueffer, Carl E. Overaa, W. S. Pierce, Lou Schroeder and H. O. Watson. This combined committee will act with the following from the Industrial Commission: W. H. Wernse, H. A. Johnson, Harry Ells and E. D. Downing. The finances of the campaign will be handled by the finance committee of the Chamber, and is composed of the, followings Kratzer, Galvon and Reardon.

The above committees are truly representative of the citizenship of Richmond, as the Chamber of Commerce is now a consolidated body composed of men from every walk of life in this city. The consolidation took place at a large meeting a few months ago, and has worked out to great good for the city. This makes the Chamber our leading civic body, and men chosen by it to carry on any campaign for con-

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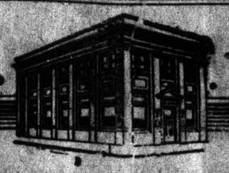

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WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Log Cabin Camp No. 637 meets every Monday in W. O. W. Hall, 707 Macdonald avenue. Clerk, H. L. Springer, 101 Ohio avenue.

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IS THE WORLD GOING MAD?

Is the whole world going mad? Looking over the European situation, and many situations in every country, including our own, it must be confessed that there is reason for asking such a question and for deep meditation over the outlook and the possible results.

There are a dozen different wars going on right now, with prospects of more instead of less. All Europe rests upon a volcano which belches forth fire and devastation, murded and h—l, first at one place and then at another, and is liable to erupt at any moment and engulf the whole world.

Trotsky said a few days ago that within a year the whole world will become Bolshevik. Well, who is going to question it? The signs of the times point stronger to his being more than half right than they do toward his being wrong. There is no question but what Germany and all its former allies in the world-war are in sympathy with the Russian movement to engulf the world with Bolshevism, and they may all be depended upon to aid such a move to the best of their ability. A union of Russia with Germany, Prussia and other like powers would be dangerous. The workingmen of England and Italy are also in sympathy with it. There are thousands right here in the U. S. A. that are likewise in sympathy, though not in such numbers as in European countries.

Poland is entitled to no sympathy from us, as it was no sooner alloted a big territory by the treaty than it proceeded to mobilize and start out on a war of conquest against Russia fr more territoyr. Naturally, our sympathy goes out more to the Poles than to the Russians, because the latter have been acting crazy for a number of years now, but legally and technically they are not entitled to it.

France went wild over Lasace and Loraine; Italy went up in the air over Fiume, and so on all down the line. There is no satisfying any of them.

Looking over our own beloved country, we find that half the population would rather own an automobile than a home. They have got a taste of the fleshpots and luxuries, and have gone crazy about it. Without a dollar in bank for sickness, old age or the possible "rainy day," they pay prices for wearing apparel and things their appetites desire that are absolutely appalling. The proverbial drunken sailor is a piker to most of them. The daily papers reek with accounts of thefts, burglary, holdups, murder, suicide, outrages and every kind of crime, until it is sickening to read of it all.

What is the matter with us all? Is the world going crazy? Is there some devilish microbe in the air or magot in our brains? It is a cinch that we are no longer normal. Nobody will work unless they get $8, $10, $12 and on up to $20 a day, and when they get it it does not do them any good, as they proceed at once to spend it on $15 shoes, $10 hats, $18 silk shirts, $25 filigree waists, joy rides, jazz, chocolate eclaires and bootleg booze.

Whoa! Back up, there! Don't you know that water is bound to seek its level sooner or later? Dont' you know that nobody ever danced yet but had to pay the fiddler? Or have you the Bolshivik bug and the airplane shimmy shivers so bad that you don't know whether you are afoot or horseback?

We had all better begin to oil up the wheels in our heads, because they are going round at such a speed that if we stuck our fingers in our ears they would get sawed off.

FROM JERUSALEM TO JERICHO

Every day the cables brings us news of what is going on in Palestine, and of how the Jews are striving to make for themselves a national country there. We trust they will succeed, for every race needs a home, if for no other reason than to go there to be buried. And oh, what long-ago memories and thoughts come to us all as we now almost daily read of something about Jerusalem and Jericho and all those old places in Holy Writ.

At the word the leaves of the Bible rustle with a long-told story. There was Joshua, the mighty warrior of Israel, marching around the city until, in the blare of the ram's horns, the walls tottered to the ground. Inside of the city was the outcast woman who shielded Joshua's messengers, and she feverishly threaded her window with the scarlet line that was the given sign of her preservation from the massacre that followed.

Other Old Testament figures crowd the screen at the mention of the city's name. There King Ahab brought his Tyrian princess wife, the "painted Jezebel," and over the rebuilt city Herod ruled in the after days.

But for the vivid lesson learned of the old town we must go to the New Testament. It was on the road to Jericho that "a certain man fell among thieves." We see the traveler on the lonely path, the town in the distance, the hope in the eyes that look ahead. Then the swift attack, the cruel wounds, the robbery, and the stricken figure by the roadside.

Then came another down the rough way, a Samaritan, a man with whom the stricken man's people of Israel claimed no bonds of neighborliness. It was he, the stranger, the unloved, who bound up the man's wounds and carried him to shelter.

There, on that road leading down to Jericho, was taught the greatest lesson man may learn—the lesson of ready helpfulness and of unquestioning brotherly love. To mention Jericho is to recall the Good Samaritan, and to recall the Good Samaritan is to remind us that down even unto today men "fall among thieves" and need us to bind up their wounds of spirit and bring them in safely to the Inn of Hope and Peace.

The story is but a parable, for the Good Samaritan is the healer of the hurts of the world, but the setting of it is real, for the road still runs down from Jerusalem to Jericho.

THINKOGRAPHS

A good time to stay out is when everybody is urging you in.

While the hatchet is frequently buried, it is never planted very deep.

It isn't what you know but what you do that gets you the persimmons.

A young man can be a girl's hero, but he is apt to marry her and get over it.

After a man has done his best he has a right to get sore if someone complains because it isn't better.

People are kind to the dead, and when booze kills a man some other reason is usually set forth in his death notice.

If you are curious to know what is the matter with your trenchant typewriter interview the agent of another make.

The windows are full of nice displays of goodies, and it makes the fellow mad who has to be always lugging around a pocketful of dyspepsia tablets.

You may think you are an exception to the rule, but the facts are that if you learn anything for sure the knowledge will come from jolts, and hard ones, too.

Green hides are now being sold at six cents a pound, making a whole cowhide bring $1.50 to $2.00. This hide will furnish leather for a dozen pair of shoes, but $12 to $14 per pair for shoes, is still the rage.

There is only one place we have any hankering to go to, and that is Heaven, and we are not overly sure yet but what this town is a fair to middlin' competitor to even there, lacking only the pearly gates and golden streets—the angels are here, anyway, though they are all females.

It is not the personal and individual economy that we are roaring about, as that is correct, but the fact that we are all called upon to do out little bit and at the same time speculators and profiteers are allowed to get rich every day out of the calamities of humanity. This is not right.

We Americans have everything in profuse abundance except food. We are spending millions for army and navy, for education, religion and scientific research; we have more gold, more liberty, more newspapers, and shorter hours than any other country. We are building magnificent libraries, universities, homes, clubs, and factories; but the farms, the source of our food supply, are being neglected. Entire sections have been abandoned, although the soil is capable of producing profitable crops, if fertilized and managed as farming is carried on in older countries abroad.

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Fruit Men Worry Over Freight Raise

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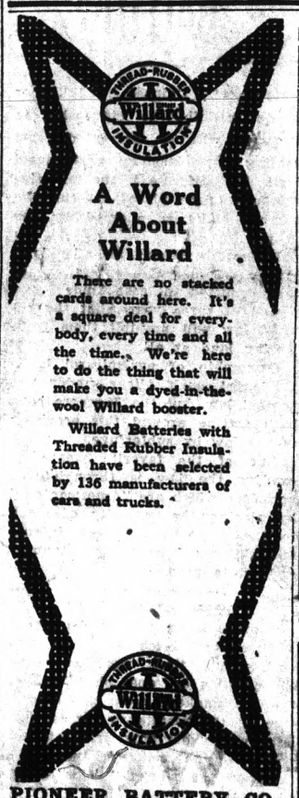

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Europe on Verge of New War

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Blaylstok, behind the Russian lines before Warsaw, to watch the advance of the Red Forces.

Authoritative information places the ration strength of the Russian army in Poland at 350,000 men. They thus outnumber the Poles two and a half to one.

A great battle is in progress on the Polish front. Reports indicate that the fate of Warsaw hangs upon the outcome.

Women and girls are rushing to the defense of Warsaw. Old men and boys, many inadequately armed, also are hastening to the front. Supplies are moving forward in quantity.

Russian cavalry is reported to have reached Praga, a suburb of Warsaw, according to German wireless reports.

A spirit of desperation pervades the Polish people in Warsaw, who are manifesting a disposition to defend the capital to the last ditch.

The Polish government, although apparently no official date has been set for the evactuation of Warsaw, is quietly moving most of its more valuable records.

BOY BADLY BURNED IN LIVE COAL BED

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 12. — Horribly burned about the feet and legs, Tonf Graham, 17 years old, of Oak Grove, is in a hospital here, while attending physicians are working to prevent amputation of his feet by means of skin grafting operations.

Clad only in a bathing suit, Graham plunged through a crust of ashes waist deep into a bed of live coals at the scene of the Oswego Iron Works fire of Friday last.

UNCLE SAM SEIZES ARMS FOR CANTU

CALEXICO, Aug. 12.—Customs officials today captured Carlos Ortiz, a Mexican, driving an automobile loaded with 31 carbines and 11,000 rounds of 30-30 ammunition. The automobile was registered as owned by Fred Dato, a brother-in-law of Esteban Cantu of the northern district of Lower California, now in rebellion against the provisional Mexican government.

MASTER MASONS LOCK OUT ALL WORKERS

All members of the bricklayers' union of San Francisco are idle today and building construction is at a standstill as the result of a lockout declared last night by the Master Masons' Association with the approval of the Builders' Exchange.

The trouble arose over the request of the bricklayers' union that a union inspector be employed to supervise the construction of the two Carnegie library buildings being erected.

The request was based on the rules of the bricklayer's union that a union inspector must be employed on all public work. The Master Masons' Association took the position that the Carnegie library buildings are being erected by private funds and the buildings will not become public property until completed and turned over to the city.

EDWIN BERGDOLL IS COURTMARTIALED

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Court-martial of Erwin Rudolph Bergdoll, wealthy Philadephian, charged with desertion from the army in evading the draft law, ended on Governor's Island today when a verdict was reached after less than five minutes' deliberation by the court.

ARMY CAMP OFFICER AND CAMP FUNDS GONE

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Government agents and police combed the city today for Lieutenant Alexander aGlt McCormick, who has been missing from Camp Dodge, Iiwa, since Saturday, when a shortage of $5000 was said to have been discovered in his books.

McCormick's home is in Washington.

Oakland to Prepare for Trade

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bridge smashed to splinters. The Eurydamas suffered several smashed plates and the trip to Vancouver which it was just starting was delayed.

DISPUTE ON INSPECTOR IS CAUSE OF LOCKOUT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—Until an agreement is reached regarding the employment of a union inspector on the new Carnegie library, Sacramento street, near Baker, the lockout in force against nearly 300 bricklayers, and which is seriously interfering with building operations, in the city, will continue. The lockout, according to the master bricklayers, was caused by the refusal of journeymen to work on a building nuless there was employed a union building inspector. Charles Nunan, secretary of the bricklayers' union, denied that the men were to blame, and said that they were not given a chance to arbitrate.

S. F. ARMY POSTS TO GET $40,000 FOR PLAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—More than $40,000 will be spent for educational and recreational purposes in army posts in and around San Francisco by the Western Department, it has been anand the garrison at Alcatraz will nounced. Letterman General Hospital will get $25,500 of the allotment.. Fort Scott, Fort McDowell also come in for a share.

DONALD PALMER FUNERAL TODAY

The funeral of Donald Palmer, 15-months-old son of Frank and Mrs. Palmer, 1935 Roosevelt street, will take place from the chapel of Wilson & Donnelly at 10 o'clock today. Rev. Boyer will officiate.

PONZI SURRENDERS

BOSTON, Aug. 12—Chas. Poniz surrendered to the United States marshal here today toface a charge of using the mails to defraud. By giving himself up he forestalled arrest on complaint of the state on a charge of larceny.

Notice of Election

A new and complete Registration of Voters is required by law during the year 1920.

Every person entitled thereto must register thirty days before any election at which he or she desires to vote.

Registration for the purpose of voting at Municipal Elections for towns of the Sixth class, closes March 12th, 1920.

Registration for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary Election, closes April 3rd, 1920.

Registration for the purpose of voting at August Primary Election closes July 31st, 1920.

Registration for the purpose of voting at General Election closes October 2nd, 1920.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated: January 20th, 1920.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

The following are Registration Deputies:

A. H. MacKinnon—El Cerrito.
Frank Conlon—El Cerrito.
Mrs. Grace E. Castner—El Cerrito.
J. Sandvick—El Cerrito.
W. H. Williams—Giant.
Geo. E. Valencia—San Pablo.
Frank Silva—San Pablo.
Mrs. Marie Smith—Rodeo.
A. C. Faris—City Hall, Richmond.
J. A. Deadrich—City Hall.
Miss Georgia Johnson—208 Richmond Avenue.
Arthur D. King—104 Washington Avenue
Miss Virginia Griffins—420 Macdonald Avenue.
Martin J. Gordon—819 Macdonald Avenue.
J. H. Plate—610 Macdonald Ave
Mrs. Jennie Lincoln—307 35th St.
John A. Miller—Pt. San Pablo.
Miss Pearl Anglum—2235 Macdonald Avenue
Mrs. Marie L. Ogborn—821 Bissell Avenue.
Miss Nannie L. Nesbit—631 Bissell Avenue. f6-o2

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

ERNEST H. KUEFFER
Candidate for Republican nomination member of Assembly, Eighteenth district, primary election August 31, 1920.

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CHARLES F. REINDOLLAR
Candidate for the Republican and Democratic nomination for State Senator. Primary Election August 31, 1920.

WILL R.
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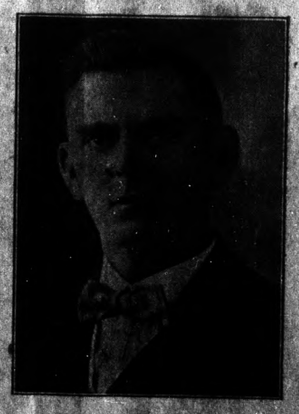

C. F. O'CONNOR
Candidate for Republican Nomination Member of Assembly, Eighteenth district, Primary election, August 31, 1920.

LOCAL LACONICS of Richmondites

Exclusive dances will be resumed by the Social Assembly early next month. These dances proved a real source of enjoyment during the summer months.

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The One Minute Girls are planning a beach party at Kozy Kove next Monday evening, August 16. The girls will meet at the Kove at 6 o'clock and at 6:30 supper will be served.

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Burdick's orchestra furnished extremely fine music at the dance given by Miramar Chapter, O. E. S., last evening at Masonic Hall. A large attendance marked the evening

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Elaborate preparations are being made by the drill team of Onetah Tribe of Pocahontas for the big class adoption to come off at Pythian Castle on the evening of August 18.

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The following are the prize winners who participated in the whist party given by the women of St. Mark's Church Wednesday: Mesdames Cleek, Robertson, Bogart, Jennings, Sullivan and Burk.

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If you want a newly built bungalow home, modern in every way and at less price than you can build it, see W. J. Richards about those now being completed in Tappscott Park. Call at 915 Macdonald ave.

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Miss Marie Murphy, 345 South Thirteenth street, has returned home after a pleasant sojourn of three months at Milwaukee and other Wisconsin points. Miss Murphy is a local teacher with many friends here.

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The following marriage licenses licenses were granted to Richmond couples in San Francisco yesterday: Sherman M. Brown, 21, and Ada R. Jacobsen, 18, both of Richmond; George H. Reardon, 26, and Elvina I. Jacogsen, 20, both of Richmond; Sidney Z. Daxis, 22, San Francisco, and Harriet L. N. McCoy, 22, of ichmond.

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Miss Harriet McCoy, a daughter of Mrs. R. L. Marsh of 656 Sixteenth street, Richmond, is to become the bride of Sidney Z. Davis, shoe dealer of San Francisco, at a home wedding to be held at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon a tthe home of the bridegroom's parents at 441 Cole street, San Francisco. Miss McCoy was formerly employed as clerk in the jewelry store of O. A. Poulsen, and is a well known and popular young lady of this city.

The land holdings of the Standard Oil Company were gone over yesterday for the purpose of appraisement by L. V. Degnan of the Standard office in San Francisco.

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For the purchase of a nice home place and a modern new five-room bungalow on it, apply to the Tappscott Park Co. Terms like rent. See their advertisement elsewhere.

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Mrs. Fred B. LaMoine is at present enjoying the fresh air and beauties of Lake county. She is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pulse at their summer home at Kelseyville.

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Contra Costa Encampment of Odd Fellows held a social meeting at Bank Hall last night and enjoyed a splendid entertainment. It was a stag affair, and a large number of Odd Fellows were present.

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Ten more new bungalow homes are in progress of erection in Tapscott Park, adjoining Richmond on the east of San Pablo avenue, and they are for sale at a bargain and at terms just like rent. See advertisement elsewhere in this paper

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A "kiddies" party in honor of the birthdays of Miss Florence Garfinkle, and the Misses Fay Calhoon and Myrtle Miller of Berkeley, was given at the former's home, 433 Tenth street, Tuesday evening.

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A discussion of the coming W. C. T. U. state convention in October was held at the meeting of the W. C. T. U. at the parlors of the First Christian Church Tuesday afternoon, and further plans made. No reports were heard from the committee, as Mrs. Clara Wilson, the president, was called to San Francisco and could not attend the meeting.

THAT BAD STREET

The following is from Bod Shand of the Oakland Tribune. Awful, ain't it:

Tell me not in mournful numbers,
They're going to pave Pinole,
Move the mountains off Main street,
Fill up every six-foot hole;
How we going to tell the burg now
When we don't bounce forty feet,
And the betting's even money
You don't light on the same seat?

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PORCELAIN COMPANY EMPLOYES OWN HOMES

The Pacific Porcelain Company of Richmond is one firm this side of the bay that believes in the comfort of its employees. This company believes that comfort and ideal working conditions are half the battle. To this end the company has inaugurated a plan whereby they sell to their men homes on easy payment plans. Thirty-one of the thirty-three employtes now are home owners through the assistance of the company. The plan as put into force is believed by the company to be a 100 per cent efficient measure.

It has been announced that ten new families will soon locate here and purchase their homes through the company. Th's makes for thrift and contented workmen, and is a plan that could be followed to great advantage by other concerns in this city.

Tex Brown Is Secretly Married

Since Adam and Eve fought over an apple in the Garden of Eden, man and woman have kept the newspapers in news by insisting in uniting in the holy bonds of matrimoy and perpetuating that apple deal.

Just why this is a fact is a matter for learned professors and investigators to ferret out, and after they have reached a solution to begin all over again.

Still the mating of men and women is what furnishes the world with presidents and kings and makes the marriage license bureau the most important office in our civic affairs.

Nor can man and women mate without the whole world finding it out. A case in point being that latest great event— the "secret" marriage of Sherman (Tex) M. Brown to Miss Ada R. Jacobson.

Tex is one of the popular clerks at the Bank Cigar Store, and his bride a fair daughter of the East.

Mis Jacobsen recently arrived in this city and has been the guest of her sister.

Full details of the wedding were not available last night, as pals of the groom were loath to talk for publication.

However, we know that the wedding took place and the young couple have started what must prove a long and happy life together.

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Campaign For - Harbor Started

(Continued From Page One.)

structive legislation becomes at once our leaders and the work they strive to do should receive the united support of the whole community.

Details for the present campaign will be worked out at once and headquarters will be established at the Chamber of Commerce, where competent clerical help will be housed under the direction of Secretary W. J. Wallace.

There will be two separate measures on the ballot in September, one for $400,000 necessary for the completion of the Inner Harbor, and the other for $150,000 for the building of extra wharfage housing space.

These two measures go hand in hand, for the harbor would be of little use if storage space was inadequate. To carry these measures will require not only a majority of the votes cast, but a two-thirds majority; and if this is to be accomplished, practically the entire voting strength of the city must go to the polls.

Odd Fellows Enjoy Athletic Carnival

The Odd Fellows of this city held a very enjoyable meeting last evening at which several athletic events took place, including a wrestling match in which Al Hall demonstrated some of the many holds for which he is famous.

Frankie Neil, former bantam champ of the world refereed the bouts and then demonstrated the blow that made him king.

Richmond's famous tenor, Scotti McLennan, rendered several beautiful selections, after which the odd fellows thought it time to eat.

The coffee was the finest ever tasted by any lodge members, and many asked for the second cup.

Taken by and far this meeting last night was a humdinger and will long be remembered by all those present.

(Reported by Scotti.)

Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. Windrem are home from a two month's outing in Lake county and report a most enjoyable trip.

HUMAN LIFE IS VERY, VERY CHEAP

A canary bird died in New York City last Tuesday and there was a funeral which attracted a crowd of ten thousand people which the police had difficulty in handling. There was a big procession, with a band of music and a hearse and flowers. The estimated cost of the funeral was $400.00. The body of a poor dejected woman was picked up on the beach at San Francisco last Monday. She committed suicide because life had a gloomy aspect. The body is at the morgue where only the occasional cold glance of an official scans it. She will undoubtedly be laid away in the potters' field and there won't be any band of music and flowers and crowds at her funeral. But she was only a human being who probably had never interested anybody; and human life is dirt cheap; cheaper than a canary's—Pinole Times.

See William Hart at The Richmond

William S. Hart and his company of players invaded quaint New Orleans to make scenes for his latest Paramount-Artcraft picture, "John Petticoats," which is to be the attrac'on at the Richmond Theatre to-day and tomorrow.

Several episodes of the picture were "shot" in the business section of the city and also in the old Creole quarter and along the riverfront. It marks one of the few times that Mr. Hart has appeared in anything but strictly Western roles. According to the story, he starts out as a lumberjack in the North forests, but inherits a modiste's shop in a fashionable district of New Orleans and goes there to investigate his property. The presence of the rough Westerner among the frills and satins is said to be productive of rich comedy, while his later adventures in foiling a young society fop, clearing up the suicide of a beautiful young girl, and winning the heart of another are declared to furnish a gripping story.

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